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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: LeMay, et al.

Attorney Docket No.: IGTP031

Application No.: 09/642,192

Examiner: Steven L. Ashburn

Filed: August 18, 2000

Group: 3714

Title: GAMING MACHINE VIRTUAL PLAYER
TRACKING AND RELATED SERVICES

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AMENDMENTAssistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2002 and the teleconference on Oct. 8, 2002 please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In The Claims:

All pending claims have been reproduced below in an appendix for the convenience of the Examiner. Please substitute the clean versions of claims 1-3, 6, 9, 11, 15, 16, 18-22, 24, 30, 32-34, 37, 38 and 44. Please add claims 45-48. The claims in the appendix are "marked-up," showing underlining or brackets.

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1. (Amended) A gaming machine comprising:
 - a housing;
 - a master gaming controller mounted within the housing designed or configured i) to control one or more games played on the gaming machine, ii) to provide player tracking services by performing player tracking functions comprising:
 - a) evaluating player tracking events,
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	48	MINUS	44	4	x 9 =	x 18 = 72.00
Independent Claims	3	MINUS	3	0	x 42 =	x 84 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$140.00	\$280.00
Total					\$	\$72.00

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ extension(s) of time to respond to the
aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicants believe that no Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an
extension is required, Applicants hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize
the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to
Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. IGT1P031).
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed
response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. IGT1P031).

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